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Attorney Docket No. 401225/FUKAMI

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

HOSONO et al.

Application No. 09/871,976

Art Unit: 2841

Filed: June 4, 2001

Examiner: T. Tran

For: CARBON BODY, PROCESS FOR  
PRODUCING THE CARBON BODY,  
AND ELECTRIC FIELD EMISSION  
ELECTRON SOURCE USING THE  
CARBON BODY

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 1, 2002, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

AMENDMENTS

*IN THE DRAWINGS:*

The Examiner is requested to approve the changes to Figures 13 and 14 as indicated in the attached Request for Approval of Drawing Amendments.

*IN THE CLAIMS:*

Cancel claim 3.

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to an office action in the subject application.

☐ Applicants claim small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.27.

☒ Petition for Extension of Time

☒ Applicants petition for a one-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$110.00 (enclosed).

☐ Applicants believe that no petition for an extension of time is necessary. However, to the extent that such petition is deemed necessary, Applicants hereby petition for a sufficient extension of time to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 for the appropriate petition fee.

☒ No additional claim fee is required.

☒ Other: Request for Approval of Changes to the Drawings.

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☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 12-1216 in the amount of \$110.00. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 12-1216. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

☒ Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.

☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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